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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: NAMIBIA WESTERN FIVE INITIATIVE

CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER HAS ASKED OUR ASSISTANCE IN TRANSMITTING THE MESSAGE GIVEN BELOW (OTTAWA FOR CANADIAN EXTERNAL AFFAIRS FOR FRANCIS, U.N. OPERATIONS DIVISION; CAPE TOWN FOR CANADIAN EMBASSY, USUN FOR CANADIAN MISSION AND LONDON FOR CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSION). WE ARE SENDING MESSAGE TO OTHER ADDRESSEES FOR THEIR INFORMATION ONLY. CANADIAN MESSAGE IS AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE:

SUBJ/SUJ NAMIBIA: WESTERN FIVE INITIATIVE

IF, AS WE ANTICIPATE, THERE IS TO BE FURTHER QUOTE INFORMING OTHERS UNQUOTE EXERCISE FOLLOWING THE CURRENT CPTWN DIS-CONFIDENTIAL

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CUSSIONS, LSAKA 5/5 ARE AGREED THAT PRECISE INSTRUCTIONS FROM CAPITALS WILL BE REQUIRED AS TO WHETHER OR NOT/NOT ANY PIECE OF PAPER IS TO BE GIVEN AFRICAN GOVTS AND SWAPO AT CONCLUSION OF ORAL BRIEFING.

2. I BELIEVE IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO AVOID DOING SO, IT HAVING BEEN DONE ONCE ALREADY. ON LATTER POINT YOU MAY WISH

TO GIVE THOUGHT TO DESIRABILITY OF PASSING ON TO OTHERS
(BOTSWANA, ANGOLA, NIGERIA) WRITTEN BRIEFING OUTLINE ALREADY
GIVEN TO MOZAMBIQUE, SWAPO, TANZANIA AND ZAMBIA IN MAY. WE
HAVE NOT/NOT PASSED PAPER THIS TIME BUT EXTENSIVE DETAILED
NOTES OF TEXT WERE TAKEN ORALLY BY ZAMBIANS AND SWAPO.

3. I BELIEVE OUR POSITION HAS BEEN THAT WESTERN 5/5 IS NOT/
NOT QUOTE NEGOTIATING UNQUOTE WITH RSA BUT QUOTE EXPLORING
UNQUOTE OR SOME SUCH EQUIVALENT. DESIRABILITY OF OUR
AVOIDING GIVING IMPRESSION WE ARE NEGOTIATING WAS BROUGHT TO
ATTN OF WESTERN 5/5 DELS AT MAPUTO CONF BY FRONTLINE DEL.
WORD QUOTE EXPLORATIONS UNQUOTE WAS INDEED SUBSTITUTED IN
CANREPS STATEMENT AT MAPUTO, BUT QUOTE THE NEGOTIATIONS UNQUOTE
APPEARS AGAIN IN CURRENT TALKING POINTS.

4. IN LSAKA WE ARE WORKING ON ASSUMPTION THAT SWAPO SHOULD
SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES TO FRONTLINE GOVTS. WE SHALL THUS
NOT/NOT COMMENT IF ASKED BY ZAMBIAN GOVT ABOUT SWAPO'S
REACTIONS TO CURRENT AND FURTHER BRIEFINGS (AND OF COURSE
VICE VERSA).

5. THIS TEL AND OUR REFTEL PASSED TO OTHERS OF LSAKA 5/5.
MOORE. UNQUOTE.
CLINGERMAN

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED.

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